

# Benefit-Cost Analysis (L-276)

Camp Murray, WA – April 8-10, 2014



## COURSE GOAL

This course is designed as an introduction to the fundamental concepts of Benefit-Cost (BC) Analysis. Participants will learn how to obtain BC data and conduct analyses using the basic versions of the Riverine and Coast A Zone software modules. This course will not teach how to conduct Level 2 BC analyses.

## TARGET AUDIENCE

Federal, state, and tribal Hazard Mitigation staff, applicants/grantees, sub-applicants/sub-grantees, and personnel who are involved in the grant application development process and provide technical assistance.

## REQUIRED PREREQUISITES

Participants must have knowledge of computers (basic Windows and spreadsheet programs). Participants must complete the following online tutorials:

1. Flood Insurance Rate Map tutorial (30 min) at [http://www.fema.gov/media/fhm/firm/ot\\_firm.htm](http://www.fema.gov/media/fhm/firm/ot_firm.htm)
2. Federal Insurance Studies tutorial (40 min) at [http://www.fema.gov/media/fhm/fis/ot\\_fis.htm](http://www.fema.gov/media/fhm/fis/ot_fis.htm)
3. EMI Independent Studies Course: IS-276 Benefit-Cost Analysis Fundamentals at <http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/courseOverview.aspx?code=IS-276>

## RECOMMENDED PREREQUISITES

E-0212 Unified Hazard Mitigation Assistance: Developing Quality Application Elements, is recommended; familiarity with basic mitigation terminology is essential.

★ **Limited scholarships are available for lodging and per diem.** Contact: Peter Tassoni, HMGP Program Manager (253) 512-7072 or [peter.tassoni@mil.wa.gov](mailto:peter.tassoni@mil.wa.gov) for information.

## Camp Murray, WA

**Date:** April 8-10, 2014

**Time:** 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Cost:** Free to confirmed applicants

## Registration Process

1. Federal Student Identification (SID) is required for each student. To get a SID go to: <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid>
2. Download and complete the Dept. of Homeland Security, FEMA General Admission Application at: <http://www.emd.wa.gov/training/documents/EMIExpires08312013.pdf>
3. Submit completed application and proof of meeting all prerequisites to the State Training Officer at:  
Fax: 253-512-7206 or  
Email: [EMD.Training@mil.wa.gov](mailto:EMD.Training@mil.wa.gov)
4. Applicants will receive a confirmation 4-8 weeks prior to the course.

## For questions, contact course managers:

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